

Skagit County Planning Commission

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Matt Mahaffie, Kathy Mitchell

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, July 21, 2015 at 6 pm Commissioners Hearing Room · 1800 Continental Place, Mount Vernon

1. Call to Order / Agenda Review

2. Public Remarks

This time on the agenda is an opportunity for anyone to speak to the Planning Commission about any topic except items that are scheduled on the agenda for a public hearing that same day, or items that have had a public hearing and are still under Planning Commission deliberation. Public remarks, which is not part of the formal public participation process for any development regulation or comprehensive plan amendment project, is limited to three minutes per speaker and up to fifteen minutes total.

3. Stormwater Code Update Deliberations

The Planning Commission will deliberate on a recommendation to the Board of County Commissioners on adoption of the proposed stormwater code update. The Planning Commission held a public hearing on July 7 and the written comment period closed July 9. Staff has issued a supplemental staff report summarizing public comments that is available on the Stormwater Permit 2015 Code Update webpage.

4. 2016 Update Code Amendments Work Session

Staff will present feedback from the Ag Advisory Board and Forestry Advisory Board on the proposed code amendments that have been docketed for the 2016 Comprehensive Plan Update, as described in the June 4 staff report. The Planning Commission will continue their discussion from the June 16 work session.

5. Rural Forestry Initiative

Staff will provide a preliminary introduction to the topic. No action will be taken.

6. Department Update

Department staff may provide updates on the status of work program items, answer questions raised in public comment and respond to questions or concerns from the Planning Commission.

7. Planning Commissioner Comments and Announcements

Planning Commissioners may update the Commission on relevant news and events.

8. Adjourn